

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Downtown El Paso is important to its citizens; and

WHEREAS, Government should not involve itself in private development; and

WHEREAS, Government should promote revitalization; and

WHEREAS, Government has a duty to promote its city within the scope of its responsibilities and duties; and


WHEREAS, Eminent Domain for Private development is contrary to the constitutionally, inviolable principles of private property rights.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:

That all governmental, quasi-governmental, educational and financial entities should resolve to site their offices and services in a downtown target area.

ADOPTED this the 10th day of July 2006.

THE CITY OF EL PASO



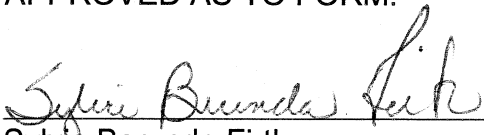
John F. Cook
Mayor

ATTEST:



Richarda Duffy Momsen
City Clerk

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Sylvia Borunda Firth
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